

THE WEATHER
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TROOPS MOBOLIZED TO PROTECT MEXICAN BORDER

Disorders Continue at Belfast With Numerous Casualties

THIRTY-FOUR DEATHS RECORDED AND ULSTER HALL 'COMMANDEERED'

(By Associated Press)
BELFAST, Feb. 16.—The authorities have commandeered Ulster hall, a commodious structure on Bedford street, ordinarily used for concerts and assemblies, for use of troops engaged in combatting the disorders here. Up to 10 a. m. today the casualties had reached 114, with 34 deaths. W. Seamus Monaghan, local commandant of the Irish republican army, and two other republican oficers, Patrick and Michael Murney, have been arrested at Newry by Ulster special constables.

The officers were proceeding to Killybeg, County Tyrone, in the direction of Killybeg when captured. They were taken to Lisnaine where they were searched and afterwards were conveyed to the Newry military barracks under heavy escort. It is stated that an automatic pistol was found in the possession of Monaghan and seditious literature in the pockets of the two Murneys. Subsequently John McDowell and Richard Dorn were arrested by other special constables near Silent valley reservoir, the source of Belfast's water supply.

Twenty-four of the Ulster unionists kidnaped in last week's raids were conveyed to Cavan station this afternoon and dispatched to their various destinations. Major Moutrey, grand master of Tyrone Orangemen, is believed to have been among those released. A majority of them were elderly men wearing rugs around their shoulders.

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Feb. 16.—Prediction that a coup d'etat in Ireland which would result in the setting up of a soviet republic would rain Ireland's cause for a century was made by Winston Churchill, secretary for colonies, in moving in the house of commons for a second reading of the Irish free state bill. Such an occurrence is not at all likely, however, in the opinion of the British government, he said.

SALES TAX IS RECOMMENDED BY PRESIDENT

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—President Harding today informed congress that he considered a general sales tax the only feasible method of raising funds for the soldier bonus.

EAGLES' HARD TIMES DANCE NEXT WEDNESDAY

The Fraternal Order of Eagles has completed all arrangements for the hard times ball to be given next Wednesday evening, Washington's birthday, at the hall, and a record breaking attendance is assured. This is the annual social event of the local order, and the dance will result in an onslaught for overalls and aprons.

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Local Observer, United States	
Weather Bureau:	
Temperatures 5 a.m. Noon	
Current	53 43
Wet bulb	29 34
Relative humidity	64 43
Temperatures, Extreme	
1922 1921	
Maximum yesterday	42 29
Minimum yesterday	28 14

CHURCH CLUB IS ORGANIZED BY YOUNG MEN

Early in January a few gentlemen connected with St. Mark's parish held a smoker in the rectory, and it proved so enjoyable it was decided to hold another. Last night a goodly number assembled at the same place and it was suggested a club be formed, to be known as St. Mark's Church Social club. The idea met with instant favor, and the following gentlemen elected officers of the club: W. J. Phillips, president; Clifford K. Loring, secretary, and L. J. Truscott, treasurer. It is the aim of the club to meet in the rectory every second and fourth Tuesday of the month, and at the next smoker a set of by-laws will be submitted for adoption. The men who attend, or who are in any way interested in the welfare of the church or parish, are cordially invited to join.

During the course of the evening the Belmont quartet rendered several excellent musical numbers, which, coupled with an interesting literary program and the serving of cigars and light refreshments, contributed to a most enjoyable entertainment. The club has started out under the most favorable auspices and its future success is already assured.

LITHUANIA HAS LIBERTY BELL A LA AMERICA

(By Associated Press)
KOVNO, Lithuania, Feb. 16.—Lithuania, like America, now has its Liberty Bell; the gift to the motherland from Lithuanians in America. It arrived some time ago, but was to be rung the first time today, on the occasion of the opening of the Lithuanian national university.

Today is the third anniversary of Lithuanian independence. The Liberty bell will ring on all national holidays and important historical anniversaries.

WILD GAME IS SAVED UTTER DESTRUCTION

(By Associated Press)
NEVADA CITY, Cal., Feb. 16.—Agents of the state fish and game department announced they have undertaken the feeding of thousands of starving quail, driven from the mountains by storms and assembled in great flocks in Indian valley, near here. Scores of deer also were driven down but are living well on pasturage.

BEVERIDGE CANDIDATE FOR U. S. SENATE

(By Associated Press)
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 16.—Albert J. Beveridge today formally announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination of United States senator from Indiana.

TUBERCULOSIS CLAIMS VICTIM IN GOLDFIELD

Alfred F. Shadel, aged 60 years, a former rancher at Bellingham, Washington, died in the Goldfield Association hospital yesterday. He went to that town 18 months ago on account of his health and he improved for several months, but eventually declined until death relieved his sufferings. He had been ill for seven years following pneumonia, which developed into tuberculosis. He has a daughter in Bellingham and other children elsewhere.

BEATTY IMPROVEMENT ASS'N TO GIVE DANCE

The Beatty Improvement association is making elaborate preparations for its annual anniversary dance which will be given the latter part of this month. The event will be in the form of a mask yam-yama, and F. E. Blackledge and L. S. Burrell, members of the floor committee, have a surprise in store for the third member of the committee.

MELLON FINDS NO VIOLATION HOLDING POST

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—Raising his view on legal advice, Secretary Mellon considers he has not contravened the law prohibiting the secretary of the treasury engaging in commerce or business, it was declared by high administration officials in commenting on the attack yesterday by Senator Watson of Georgia. The law was called to Mellon's attention before his appointment, officials said.

MORE SOLDIERS TO BE BROUGHT FROM GERMANY

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—An immediate further reduction of 200 officers and 3000 men in the American forces in Germany was announced by the war department today. There will be remaining in Germany after this reduction 169 officers and 2217 men.

FOUR HUNDRED GUARDS SERVE WARRANTS ON 3

(By Associated Press)
NEWPORT, Ky., Feb. 16.—Four hundred guardsmen surrounded the courthouse here today while several of their officers served United States warrants on one city official and two county officials. The warrants charge conspiracy to violate the prohibition amendment.

RECEIVERSHIP DEMANDED FOR WAY EMPLOYEES

(By Associated Press)
TOLEDO, Ohio, Feb. 16.—Appointment of a receiver for the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees and Shop Laborers is asked in a petition filed in federal court here late yesterday by Bacon Brothers, of Toledo.

PRESIDENT WAS SENT SPURIOUS MESSAGES

(By Associated Press)
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 16.—Fake telegrams and letters sent to President Harding from Pennsylvania caused W. Harry Baker, secretary of the Republican state committee, to seek a federal investigation. Baker revealed that fraudulent telegrams had been sent to the president purporting to endorse the candidacy of J. C. Overton, a negro local waiter at a West Philadelphia hotel, for appointment as register of the United States treasury. The telegrams bore the names of Mrs. George Wharton Pepper, wife of Senator Pepper; Mrs. John W. Wainwright III and Mrs. Baker.

TAXPAYERS ARE QUESTIONED ON SCHOOL NEEDS

In order that the sentiment of the people may be obtained regarding the housing conditions of the public schools in Tonopah, the following questionnaire has been mailed to the taxpayers of school district No. 20:

"What do you expect from them and what do you want your children to receive from them? Do you want them to get the benefits that other children are getting or do you want them to 'get by' with 1-15 to 1-20 the amount of fresh air they need during school hours? Should they have proper heating facilities for their rooms or should they 'survive' with 45 of them in a room with a stove for heating purposes and no ventilation?"

"Suppose an epidemic of scarlet fever or diphtheria started. What chance would your child stand under these conditions? Do they come home complaining of headache and sore throat? Do they have to play in the street at recess time? Is there another school in the state as poorly prepared to take care of its children as we are?"

"Let us face these conditions fairly. Your school board feels that something should be done to remedy these conditions and that the responsibility should be shared by all concerned. Another shack has been added to our list. Enrollment in the seventh and eighth grades indicates an increase in high school enrollment that will require at least three more rooms by the end of the year 1922. This means more grades out in shacks."

"It is our opinion that the time has arrived for the erection of a grade school building. We request that you visit the schools and study the conditions for yourselves."

"The bonded indebtedness of Tonopah school district is now \$19,300. Of this amount, \$4900 will be retired in 1922. The total bonded indebtedness of the county is less than \$50,000. At our present assessed valuation a tax of 2 mills on the dollar, or 20 cents on \$100, over a period of 10 years, will provide a suitable building. To 70 per cent of the taxpayers this will mean less than \$2 per year. Can you afford this much for your children?"

J. C. HUMPHREY, well-known Manhattan mining man, is a business visitor to Tonopah.

MISS ROSABELL MELDRUM GIVES VALENTINE PARTY

Miss Rosabell Meldrum was the charming hostess at a perfectly arranged Valentine party given Tuesday night to a number of friends. The home was artistically and appropriately decorated for the occasion and the young guests enjoyed themselves immensely. Pitt was played, following which delicious refreshments were served. In the pin contest first lady favors were awarded to Stella Baker; second to Lucile Askin. Harvey Humphrey was awarded first favors in the boys' contest, and Carl Feilach second.

BLIND APPRECIATE BEAUTY ALL THINGS

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—An effort to give to blind children an opportunity to enjoy and appreciate the beauty that they cannot see is being made by the museum of instruction department at the Chicago Art Institute. Stories, descriptions and small illustrative objects that the children can hold in their hands are of great help in this work.

WITHDRAWAL OF RUSSIAN HELP SEPTEMBER 1ST

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—The American Relief administration expects to withdraw from its undertaking in the famine-stricken districts of Russia by September 1 next, Edgar Richard of that organization said after a conference with Herbert Hoover today.

MURDERER WILL GO TO GALLOW WHEELED CHAIR

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Harvey Church was wheeled to the death cell in the county jail on a stretcher today to spend his last 24 hours before going to the gallows tomorrow to pay with his life for the murder of two men he brutally killed in order to obtain an automobile. Church, who had been forcibly fed for several days since going on a hunger strike, fought valiantly as the guards wheeled him down the corridors. It is planned to wheel him to the gallows and strap him in a chair on the trap.

PEACE TREATY DOPE TO COME FROM HARDING

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—A resolution asking President Harding or full information regarding the negotiation of the four-power Pacific treaty was adopted by the senate today after a debate in which the arms conference policies were discussed generally for the first time on the senate floor.

RICKARD MUST STAND TRIAL FOR ASSAULT

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Tex Rickard, fight promoter, was today indicted for criminal assault on two minor girls by a supreme court grand jury.

REPORTED 3,000 MEN ASSEMBLED IN HILLS TO TURN OVER JUAREZ

(By Associated Press)
EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 16.—Five thousand troops at Fort Bliss are being held ready for any emergency which might arise along the border, and were mobilized last night when rumors were scattered in Juarez and El Paso that 3000 men were assembling in the hills south of Juarez and that the Juarez garrison was expected to "turn over." The Juarez military and civil authorities strongly denied such report, but admitted they were aware that revolutionists were trying to recruit men in Chihuahua.

ANOTHER FIND REPORTED FROM CAMP ROYSTON

News of a promising mineral discovery at Royston reached Tonopah last night. The find is to be credited to Raycraft, Valverde and Connors, who recently secured a lease on the north 300 feet of ground on the Combination claim owned by the Hudson Mining company, and a 4-foot vein of ore is exposed, in inches of which is expected to carry silver values averaging around \$100 a ton.

The ore was encountered at a depth of 13 feet, and indications are favorable for the persistence of the shoot extending to a considerable depth. The ground in question lies a short distance from the El Camp mine on the Crow claim, where ore is being mined that brings a mill settlement of \$238 a ton in silver and gold.

POISON BOOZE BRINGS DEATH TO FIVE MEN

(By Associated Press)
RIDGEFIELD PARK, N. J., Feb. 16.—Five persons have died from drinking poisonous liquor in the last five days. The discovery of the source of the liquor was made upon the death of Charles Kelly, a railroad gate tender, when his daughter made affidavit that he purchased the liquor from John Best. Before Best could be located he also succumbed to alcoholic poisoning. Detectives who visited Best's home found his son Harry desperately ill. He was taken to a hospital, where he died.

RED CHIEF IS AT MOSCOW IN SAFE RETREAT

(By Associated Press)
MOSCOW, Feb. 16.—Ehsanulla, the chief of the red revolutionary movement in Persia, who last June made a daring raid that all but succeeded in capturing Hoheran, has escaped the shah's Cossacks and is now here. "The people's struggle against the shah and the feudal landlords has failed. There'll be no more," he said. His comrades leaders in the revolution were killed. Ehsanulla is rated the most picturesque figure of all the bandit and revolutionary leaders of the middle east. Educated and daring, for 18 years he has fought the established order in Persia. His long hair and shaggy beard are known to thousands of Persian peasants.

BUTLER THEATRE

—TODAY—
EUGENE O'BRIEN
IN
"CHIVALROUS CHARLEY"
A thousand ways of getting into trouble and 299 of them are women—and Charley knew them all.
LATEST PATHE NEWS
—TOMORROW—
DUSTIN FARNUM'S return to the screen in
"THE PRIMAL LAW"
—ALSO—
"TRAPPING THE BOBCAT"
A picture made for boys
—MONDAY—
"THE THUNDERCLAP"
The greatest race-track drama ever filmed